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**Transmittal Letter****Request for Continuation-in-Part Application under 37 CFR 1.53(b)(2)****Plural Inventors**

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2. A Specification having a total of thirty (30) pages, including a one (1) page Abstract and forty-seven (47) claims.
3. Fifteen (15) sheets of drawings.
4. A Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney - unsigned.

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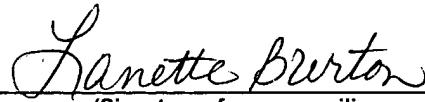
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